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CITIZENSHIP
United States and Poland;
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RESEARCH INTERESTS

International Economics, Macroeconomics, Time Inconsistency

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, University of Minnesota, July 2016

M.A., Economics, University of Minnesota, November 2014

M.A., Quantitative Methods in Economics, Warsaw School of Economics, July 2011

B.A., Quantitative Methods in Economics, Warsaw School of Economics, July 2009

EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor	Department of Economics, University of Houston	Sep 2023 - *present*
Assistant Professor	Department of Economics, University of Houston	Sep 2016 - Aug 2023
Research Analyst	Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis	Sep 2013 - Aug 2015
Teaching Assistant	Department of Economics, University of Minnesota	Sep 2011 - Jul 2013
Research Assistant	Embassy of Denmark, Warsaw, Poland	Mar 2009 - Jul 2010

PUBLICATIONS

"Capital Regulation and Shadow Finance: A Quantitative Analysis", joint with Hyunju Lee and Sunyoung Lee, **Review of Economic Studies**, Forthcoming (link to paper)
"Efficient Consolidation of Incentives for Education and Retirement Savings", joint with Pei Cheng Yu, **AEJ: Macroeconomics**, 2023, 15(3), 153-190
"Commitment versus Flexibility and Sticky Prices: Evidence from Life Insurance", joint with Pei Cheng Yu, **Review of Economic Dynamics**, 2023, 49, 99-122
"Borrowing into Debt Crises", joint with George Stefanidis, **Quantitative Economics**, 2023, 14, 277–308
"Learning about Debt Crises", **AEJ: Macroeconomics**, 2023, 15(1), 106-134

WORKING PAPERS

"Intangible Capital and Shadow Financing", joint with Hyunju Lee (link to paper)
"The Ultralong Sovereign Default Risk" (link to paper)
"Multiplicity in Sovereign Default Models: Calvo Meets Cole-Kehoe", joint with Joao Ayres (link to paper)

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

"Optimal Capital Regulation: Micro Evidence and Macro Implications", joint with Hyunju Lee
"Trade Costs and Financial Frictions: A Horse Race", joint with Hyunju Lee
"Optimal Incentives for Dynastic Educational Investments", joint with Pei Cheng Yu

PRESENTATIONS

2023	SAET (Paris), KBER Summer Institute (Seoul National), SED (Cartagena) Texas Monetary Conference (Houston, discussion), Stony Brook University, National University of Singapore, ESSEC Asia-Pacific, York University
2022	University of Missouri, Fall Midwest Macro (Dallas), Conference on Sovereign Debt (Minneapolis Fed, discussion), Atlanta Fed, Summer Workshop on Macroeconomics and Finance (Warsaw), Leuven Summer Event, Spring Midwest Macro (Utah)
2021	Texas A&M, SED (Minneapolis), NBP Summer Workshop, CAFRAL, Ryerson University
2020	VMACS conference
2019	RIDGE Forum (Montevideo), Inter-American Development Bank, University of Toronto, National Taiwan University, Academia Sinica, NBER IFM Summer Institute, SAET (Ischia), York University, Texas Camp Econometrics (Southlake), NBER Insurance meeting (Stanford), Southern Methodist University
2018	Fall Midwest Macro (Vanderbilt), Texas Theory Camp (SMU), University of Queensland, University of Technology Sydney, International Monetary Fund, Texas Monetary Conference (Austin, discussion), ASSA (Philadelphia)
2017	Dallas Fed, UT-Austin, EEA-ESEM (Lisbon), University of New South Wales, NBP Summer Workshop, SAET (Faro), SED (Edinburgh), Spring Midwest Macro (Louisiana)
2016	LACEA-LAMES (Medellin), Texas Economic Theory Camp (Rice), China Meeting of Econometric Society (Chengdu), University of Houston, ITAM, Congressional Budget Office, Federal Reserve Board, University of Melbourne
2015	Polish Academy of Sciences, European Winter Meeting of Econometric Society (Milan), 10th Annual Economic Graduate Student Conference (St. Louis), XX Workshop on Dynamic Macroeconomics (Vigo)
2014	North American Summer Meeting of Econometric Society (Minnesota), Warsaw School of Economics, Midwest Economic Theory Meeting (Indianapolis)

INVITED RESEARCH VISITS

2023-2024	Hoover Institution at Stanford University
2022	Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta
2019	Academia Sinica (Taipei, Taiwan), Inter-American Development Bank
2018	University of New South Wales (Sydney, Australia), Inter-American Development Bank
2017	University of New South Wales (Sydney, Australia)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2019-2023	Intermediate Microeconomics, University of Houston
2018-2023	Quantitative Macroeconomics, University of Houston (*Ph.D. elective, new course*)
2017-2023	Economics of Financial Crises, University of Houston (*Honors College, new course*)
2012-2013	Principles of Microeconomics, University of Minnesota (*Graduate Instructor*)
2011-2012	Principles of Microeconomics, University of Minnesota (*Teaching Assistant*) Principles of Macroeconomics, University of Minnesota (*Teaching Assistant*)

REFEREE EXPERIENCE

Review of Economic Studies, American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics, Review of Economics and Statistics, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, European Economic Review, B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics, Economic Theory

HONORS AND AWARDS

W. Glenn Campbell and Rita Ricardo-Campbell National Fellowship, Hoover Institution: 2023-2024
Early Career Visitor Program, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta: 2022
New Faculty Research Grant ($6000), University of Houston: 2019
Provost's Travel Fund ($1200), University of Houston: 2016, 2017, 2022
Hutcheson-Lilly Dissertation Fellowship, Dept. of Economics, University of Minnesota: 2015-16
Winner, Third-Year Paper Competition, Dept. of Economics, University of Minnesota: 2014
Distinguished Teaching Assistant, Dept. of Economics, University of Minnesota: 2011
Simler Fellowship, Dept. of Economics, University of Minnesota: 2011
Erasmus Scholarship, for studies abroad at Tilburg University, the Netherlands: 2010

COMPUTER SKILLS

Operating Systems: Linux
Programming: Fortran, Matlab, MPI, Python
Statistical: Stata, R

LANGUAGES

Fluent: Polish, English
Proficient: Spanish (DELE *intermedio* certificate), Russian (TELC B2 certificate)